

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Inventor:	Tara Nylese)	Group Art Unit:	1641
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Serial No.:	10/530,464)	Examiner:	Jacqueline A. Diramio
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Filed:	04/05/2005)	Confirmation No.:	4794

Title: Portable Diagnostic Device And Method For Determining Temporal Variations In Concentrations

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Replacement Amendment under Rule 116

Sir:

In response to the Examiner Interview of 15 September 2009, and the office action mailed 17 June 2009, the following amendment and remarks are presented with request for reconsideration of the final rejection in the above-referenced application. The amendment to the claims does not introduce any new issues and does place the application in better condition for allowance or appeal.

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